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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the

application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended): A pen-shaped input system using a magnetic sensor, comprising:

a magnetic field detection unit mounted in a pen-shaped body which detects a tilt angle of

the pen-shaped body based on a movement of the pen-shaped body;

an acceleration detection unit mounted in the pen-shaped body which detects_respective

axial direction accelerations along an axis of the movement of the pen-shaped body; and

a control unit which calculates absolute coordinates of the movement of the pen-shaped

body from the tilt angle measured at the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration

measured at the acceleration detection unit,

wherein the control unit calculates a handwriting trajectory of a tip of the pen-shaped

body based on the absolute coordinates of the movement of the pen-shaped body,

wherein the control unit converts 3-axis acceleration measurement values detected at the

acceleration detection unit into measurement values of a pen tip of the pen-shaped body to

generate converted measurement values, and applies the converted measurement values of the

pen tip for calculating absolute coordinates.

2. (canceled).

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3. (previously presented): The pen-shaped input system as claimed in claim 1, further

comprising a communication module which transmits data to an external computing device,

wherein the control unit controls the communication module to transmit the tilt angle

detected at the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration detected at the acceleration

detection unit to the external computing device.

4. (currently amended): A coordinate measurement method for a pen-shaped input

system, the method comprising:

detecting a tilt angle and three-dimensional axial direction acceleration along an axis

based on a movement of a pen-shaped body at a magnetic field detection unit and an acceleration

detection unit, respectively, wherein the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration

detection unit are mounted in the pen-shaped body;

calculating absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body from the tilt angle detected at the

magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration detected at the acceleration detection unit; and

calculating a handwriting trajectory of a tip of the pen-shaped body based on the absolute

coordinates of the pen-shaped body,

further comprising converting 3-axial acceleration measurement values detected at the

acceleration detection unit into an acceleration value of a pen tip of the pen-shaped body,

wherein the operation of calculating the absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body calculates

the absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body with the acceleration value of the pen tip.

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5. (canceled).

6. (original): The coordinate measurement method as claimed in claim 4, further comprising transmitting the tilt angle detected at the magnetic field detection unit and the

acceleration detected at the acceleration detection unit to an external computing device.

7. (currently amended): A handheld input system using a magnetic sensor, comprising:

a magnetic field detection unit mounted in a handheld body which detects a tilt angle of

the handheld body based on a movement of the handheld body;

an acceleration detection unit mounted in the handheld body which detects respective axial direction accelerations along an axis of the movement of the handheld body; and

a control unit which calculates absolute coordinates of the movement of the handheld body from the tilt angle measured at the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration measured at the acceleration detection unit,

wherein the control unit calculates a handwriting trajectory of a tip of the pen-shaped body based on the absolute coordinates of the movement of the pen-shaped body.

wherein the control unit converts 3-axis acceleration measurement values detected at the acceleration detection unit into measurement values of a pen tip of the pen-shaped body to generate converted measurement values, and applies the converted measurement values of the pen tip for calculating absolute coordinates.

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8. (currently amended): A coordinate measurement method for a handheld input system, the method comprising:

detecting a tilt angle and three-dimensional axial direction acceleration <u>along an axis</u> based on a movement of a handheld body at a magnetic field detection unit and an acceleration detection unit, respectively, wherein the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration detection unit are mounted in the handheld body;

calculating absolute coordinates of the handheld body from the tilt angle detected at the magnetic field detection unit and the acceleration detected at the acceleration detection unit; and calculating a handwriting trajectory of a tip of the pen-shaped body based on the absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body.

further comprising converting 3-axial acceleration measurement values detected at the acceleration detection unit into an acceleration value of a pen tip of the pen-shaped body, wherein the operation of calculating the absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body calculates the absolute coordinates of the pen-shaped body with the acceleration value of the pen tip.

9. - 10. (canceled).

11. (previously presented): The coordinate measurement method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the calculating the absolute coordinates is carried out in the external computing device.

12. - 13. (canceled).

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14. (previously presented): The coordinate measurement method as claimed in claim 8, wherein the calculating the absolute coordinates is carried out in an external computing device.